

BELGIAN AND BRITISH FORCES ON NEW RAIDS IN FLANDERS

extending northward more than 100 miles. Among the larger cities included in the territory are IJmuiden, Rotterdam, and particularly Cividale, where all Italian stores and munitions have been held in reserve. Much of this material already has been destroyed.

"Italy is not defeated," said one Italian official. "She will carry on her part of the war, if the civilian population can be sufficiently quieted by rations that must come from America in American ships."

Whether the famous Italian general, outnumbered nearly four to one, can check the spectacular onrush of von Mackensen and the Teuton hordes, depends, military authorities here believe, entirely upon the number of big guns the Allies are able to get to Cadorna before a great battle along the Tagliamento begins.

That Italy was betrayed by German spies is the firm belief of Italian officials here. Otherwise Mackensen could never have known the weak point in the Italian line.

The Italian right, which first failed under the enemy's great assault, it is said here, was composed of territorial, not seasoned in war. The break made it necessary for the whole front to be withdrawn to avoid a flanking attack. The Italian 700,000 staff knew that no less than 700,000 German and Austrian troops were facing Cadorna's army. Nevertheless, the attack could have been resisted successfully, Italians here say, had they been given by the Allies to Italy's calls for munitions and supplies.

Most of the 700,000 men were taken without having fired a shot for lack of ammunition.

REJOICING IN BERLIN OVER MACKENSEN'S VICTORY IN ITALY

Kaiser Wilhelm Expected to Join Emperor Karl on the Isonzo Front.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 29.—Berlin gave today over to rejoicing at the success of the German arms in the drive against Italy. Despatches from the German capital told of special holidays granted the schools, a display of flags throughout the nation and various celebrations. The general public feeling there was that the victorious advance of the Austro-German armies would hasten peace more than any other event.

The Berlin press not only rejoiced that the Italians are being punished, but their editorial comments carried the hint that the Austrians had been caught a needed lesson on what could be accomplished with German help—and, conversely, what might happen if Austria attempted a separate peace.

Kaiser Wilhelm is expected to join Emperor Karl on the Isonzo front shortly.

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Surprising results from this home-made syrup. Easily prepared and costs little.

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U. S. SHOT IS HEARD AROUND THE WORLD, SAYS BRITISH PRESS

Expected to Offset Russian Lapse, Hearten Italy, and Assure Victory.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—The entrance of units of the American army into active service on the western front, although overshadowed as a news item by the Austro-German invasion of Italy, receives prominent notice in the newspapers as a much more than picturesque event. The Daily News says:

"It would be false to expect Germany in the anticipation of her Italian victory to appreciate its full meaning. This does not alter the fact, either immediate or prospective, that Germany has called in the New World to redress the balance of the Old. The balance will be redressed." The Daily Express, remarking on American entry, says it bodes ill for Germany and gives added certainty that victory, however long delayed, is assured. It warns that this does not justify a relaxation of British efforts. The Graphic says:

"The descendants of the embattled farmers of Concord have fired a shot which, like that of the minute men, will be heard round the world. The advent of the United States has more than made up for Russia's temporary weakening. It should have a steady influence in view of the blow at Italy, and should be recalled whenever there is a tendency toward pessimism."

BRITISH AIRMEN BOMBARD GERMAN BASES IN BELGIUM

Tons of Explosives Dropped and Enemy Machine Shot Down, Admiralty Reports.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—An Admiralty statement today says: "The Naval Air Service yesterday evening carried out bombing raids on enemy airbases at Enghien and St. Denis, Belgium. Many tons of bombs were dropped. Our aviators also bombed the railway junctions at Courmarche and Lichtervelde. About two tons of bombs were dropped. One of our machines failed to return."

The enemy airbase at Vassenaere was bombed at noon yesterday. Direct hits on the sheds were made. During the same raid bombs were dropped on the St. Hubert railway station, near Bruges. "An enemy machine was shot down," the statement continues.

GERMANS EVACUATE ONE RUSSIAN POSITION

Quit Werd Peninsula, on Gulf of Riga, Which Was Recently Occupied.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 29.—The Germans have evacuated the Werd Peninsula, on the Gulf of Riga, where they made a landing recently, the War Office announces.

The officers of the Petrograd garrison met yesterday to discuss the position of the Russian army and adopted a resolution declaring that any authority on the part of its chiefs is virtually non-existent. The resolution says, in part: "The community, as it is at present, cannot defend Russia. On the contrary, the approach of winter and the present subservient aspirations of the army and its lack of any sense of responsibility will complete the ruin of the country. We do not renounce our duty, but in answering for ourselves we do not answer for our men. The time has come to make this declaration openly so that nobody may be deceived or trust in vain delusions."

OFFICER PLEADS HIGH COST.

Cities Experience in Allimony Case, but Must Pay Wife \$20 a Month. Second Lieut. John Bevel of Camp Upton this morning pleaded the high cost of living in the National Army as a reason why he should not be ordered to pay his wife more than \$15 a week alimony. A second lieutenant, he is forty in his military life, only gets \$1,200 a year. Out of that he has to pay his "handy man," tip the band, buy equipment, ship in for officers' mess, and finance a number of "incidentals." Justice Callaghan ordered the young officer to pay his wife \$20 a month.

ALLIED TROOPS SEIZE POSITIONS ON FLANDERS LINE

Belgians and British Make Successful Raids and Bring Back Prisoners.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—Great raiding activity of British and Belgian troops in Flanders was reported in today's official statement.

"Opposite Warneton we raided the enemy at night," Field Marshal Haig declared, "in the neighborhood of Reutel hostile reconnoitering detachments were repulsed. North of Merchém a Belgian patrol captured a German post. North of Dixmude a successful Belgian raid brought back prisoners and a machine gun."

WITH THE TRENCH ARMIES IN FLANDERS, Oct. 29.—Three fifteen-inch shells, fired from a distance of seven miles, struck squarely on their target of a German blockhouse at Papegoed Wood and permitted French militia fighting like mad for glimpses of their own homes slightly behind the German lines to cut their way to a victory in the latest Franco-British advance in Flanders.

It was this marvellously accurate shooting last Friday which opened the way for the French smash. A great eight-chambered concrete blockhouse in the center of Papegoed Wood had long held up further French advance. Finally French aviators "ranged" it. The first of the three shots from huge French guns fell close to it; the second shattered the solid concrete and the third passed inside. Practically all of the garrison in this formidable defense was killed.

The four fallen, crazed men who did survive of the sixty German soldiers of the 131st Infantry staggered into the French lines deaf and dumb from shell shock. Their clothes had been stripped from them, some were fearfully mangled. The stamp of an inexpressible horror was on their drawn faces.

Reduction of the blockhouse enabled the French engineers, working deep-down in St. Jannebeek and Coverbeck River, to throw up bridges and trestles, along which French infantry later charged to a brilliant victory.

Most of the French regiments now on this line are from Lille and other cities close to the present fighting ground. Many left their loved ones behind to answer mobilization calls—and have not heard from them since.

These men performed superhuman fighting feats. Hand to hand in bloody fighting, they beat back the Germans half again through morasses and held tenaciously to their gains despite every effort German counter-attacks made.

On Saturday another such incident as this occurred. The French had cut their way for a deep gain. The whole Eighth Bavarian Reserve Division was thrown into the fray to check them. It failed. The victorious poilus literally cut it into shivers.

As a result of last week's steady advance along the Ixrode Road, the French to-day are encircling both the west and south sections of Houthulst Forest.

GERMANS GAIN GROUND NEAR VERDUN, BUT LOSE MOST OF IT AGAIN.

PARIS, Oct. 29.—An attack was made by the Germans last night on the Verdun front near Chaume Wood. The War Office reports that they gained a footing in advanced French positions, but that the greater part of the ground was regained in a counter attack. Following in the text of the War Office report:

"South of St. Quentin we made an attack which enabled us to bring back a machine gun and prisoners. On the Alsace front spirited artillery fighting occurred near Hurlerbe and in the sector north of Vandœuvre."

"Our detachments penetrated German trenches in the Argonne and on the left bank of the Meuse, bringing back prisoners. On the right bank of the Meuse the German artillery violently bombarded our positions on the front between Chaume Wood and Bezonvaux. An attack followed. The enemy, beaten back by our fire, was not able to approach our line except at a single point north of Charles Wood, where he gained a footing for a distance of about 500 metres in our advanced positions. Our troops counter-attacked immediately and regained the greater part of the occupied ground. We took prisoners."

"In Apremont forest an enemy attack on one of our small posts gave no result."

Half Pays a Tribute to the Canadian Troops. BRITISH FRONT IN FRANCE AND BELGIUM, Oct. 29 (by the Associated Press).—In congratulating Lieut. Gen. Sir Herbert Plumer, commander of the Second Army Corps, for the victory won on Friday on the Ypres front, Field Marshal Haig said the performance of the Canadians was remarkably fine.

trenches for our sake cannot hold out if ill fed. The situation which we have to face right now in this Food Pledge Week is obvious. Either the soldiers may get their vital needs, or the soldiers must go short so that the stay-at-homes may fatten. You cannot have it both ways and must make your choice."

Prices of Eggs and Imitation Butter Fixed in Chicago. CHICAGO, Oct. 29.—A reduction of from two to five cents in the retail price of eggs appears in the price list given out by the Illinois Food Administrator today. The prices are from 40 to 45 cents a dozen. Prices of imitation butter were set at 30 to 35 cents a pound.

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The food-saving campaign will take in the whole country. It is conservation week and it is expected 500,000 volunteers will visit 22,000,000 American families.

10,000,000 Patriots Subscribe to \$5,000,000,000 Liberty Loan

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—Ten million people went "over the top" to reach the \$5,000,000,000 goal of America's second Liberty Loan. All classes and ages are on the subscription honor lists to-day.

Returns to the Treasury Department still leave the grand total in doubt, but that the \$5,000,000,000 maximum has been passed by a comfortable margin is assured.

The work of education in the first two Liberty Loans is regarded by officials as auguring certain success of future campaigns. The next loan will be floated in February, it is said.

Meantime Liberty Bond buyers who do not obtain their full purchases because of a scaling down due to oversubscription will be asked to accept war-savings certificates. Frank A. Vanderlip is prepared to launch this savings campaign to-day.

"From now on," declared a high Treasury official, "work of floating bond issues will be easier. The work of education has been done. Every man and woman has come to realize how good an investment a 4 per cent. United States bond is."

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STOCKS TUMBLE ALL ALONG LINE; NEAR LOW LEVEL

Pool Support Apparently Withdrawn and Market Drops on Heavy Unloading.

Millions of dollars in stock values were sacrificed on the Stock Exchange to-day in a general decline which affected all classes of securities and revealed that without the support of the pools which came to the rescue of the market two weeks ago the depression of prices is not likely to be diverted. The public is not investing in stocks.

To-day, apparently, the pool support was withdrawn. The market opened weak on the news from Italy that the German-Austrian forces had driven the Italian army back in a rout. Shortly after 11 o'clock brokers began to unload blocks of stocks of all kinds and the market tumbled rapidly. There was a slight rally in the fourth hour.

How widespread was the decline is indicated by a record of a few of the losses. General Electric lost 6 points, Bethlehem 14 1/4 points, General Motors 3 3/4, Amer. Can. 2 1/4 points, American Smelters 2 1/2 points, Anaconda Copper 2, Baldwin Locomotive 3, Baltimore and Ohio 1 1/2, Central Leather 3 1/2, Brooklyn Rapid Transit a point, registering a new low; St. Paul 2 1/2, Colorado Fuel and Iron, 2 1/2, Crucible Steel 2 1/2, Erie 2 1/2, dropping to \$16 a share, the lowest since 1908; Reading 2 1/2, Republic Steel 3 1/2, Union Pacific 2 1/2 and Canadian Pacific 2 1/2.

The fourth hour rally continued until about half an hour before closing, when another decline set in, the closing price of the above named stocks averaging about half a point above the low.

Most of the active stocks lost in to-day's slump all they gained in the recent rally and many were again approaching the low level reached in the panic of 1907.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS (With net change from previous close)

Stock	High	Low	Close	Change
Am. Tobacco	76 1/2	76 1/4	76 1/4	-1/4
Am. Bell	76 1/2	76 1/4	76 1/4	-1/4
Am. Can.	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Coal	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Cotton	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Electric	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Gas	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Iron	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Lumber	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Oil	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Paper	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Rubber	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Steel	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Sugar	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Tea	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Textile	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Traction	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Water	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Wire	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Zinc	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Copper	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Lead	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Tin	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Nickel	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Silver	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Gold	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Platinum	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Palladium	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Iridium	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Rhodium	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4
Am. Osmium	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4	-1/4